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COUNCIL BILL NO. 2008 - 172 RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

### A RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING City staff to proceed with Phase 2 of the design proposal of Butler  
Rosenbury & Partners, Inc. for the downtown square area.

WHEREAS, on February 12, 2008, the City Council selected a design for  
renovation of the downtown square; and

WHEREAS, as part of the process to utilize federal funding, the City submitted its  
proposal to the State Historical Preservation Office (SHPO) for review; and

WHEREAS, SHPO and the City are working on details to mitigate any adverse  
impact on the historically significant features of the Square itself (Phase 1); and

WHEREAS, in order to keep the renovation of the square area moving forward to  
allow the renovation process to continue, City staff recommends proceeding with  
renovation of the sidewalks around the square perimeter (Phase 2); and

WHEREAS, the City has been granted permission to allocate federal funding for  
the design and implementation of Phase 2 for the redevelopment of the downtown  
square area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
SPRINGFIELD as follows, that:

Section 1 – The City Council hereby directs the staff of the City of Springfield to  
take any and all steps necessary to proceed with Phase 2 of the selected design for  
renovation of the downtown square area. The City Manager, or her designee, is further  
authorized to enter into agreements necessary to effectuate the terms of this resolution.

Section 2 - This resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

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51 Passed at meeting: June 3, 2008  
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54 Thomas Corbin  
55 Mayor  
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58 Attest: \_\_\_\_\_, City Clerk  
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61 Filed as an ordinance: June 3, 2008  
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64 Approved as to form: \_\_\_\_\_, City Attorney  
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67 Approved for Council action: Fredyn Horne, City Manager  
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EXPLANATION TO COUNCIL BILL NO. 2008-

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT:** City Manager

**PURPOSE:**

To allow the City staff to continue the renovation of the square by moving forward with Phase 2 of the design submitted by Butler Rosenbury & Partners, Inc. and to permit the City Manager, or his designee, to enter into agreements to meet the terms of the resolution.

**BACKGROUND:**

City Council selected a design for renovation of the downtown square area on February 12, 2008.

The City is permitted to allocate federal funding for the implementation of Phase 2 for the redevelopment of the square area.

**REMARKS:**

Submitted and approved by:

  
City Manager